

Alaska Career Ladder

Mental Health Counselors

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Psychiatrists							
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+200%							

Target Occupation
Wage

\$21.00-\$23.99

Estimated Employment: 286 / Growth Rate: 24.8%	\$21.00-\$23.99
Mental Health Counselors	
Master's Degree	

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	-40%						

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section
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